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LEUCOCORYNE IXIODES ODORATA  
GLORY OF THE SUN

*"Califlora"*

REG. U. S. PAT. OFFICE

*Wholesale Only*

*"Tecolote"*

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SPARAXIS *"Tecolote"* HYBRIDS

**DAVIDS & ROYSTON BULB CO.**

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 $\frac{7}{8}$ " up $\frac{3}{4}$ - $\frac{7}{8}$ " $\frac{5}{8}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ " $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{5}{8}$ " $\frac{3}{8}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ "

## ANEMONE "Tecolote" GIANTS

New Crop Ready in September. California Grown Bulbs.

|  | Diameter | $\frac{7}{8}$ " up | $\frac{3}{4}$ - $\frac{7}{8}$ " | $\frac{5}{8}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ " | $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{5}{8}$ " | $\frac{3}{8}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ " |
|--|----------|--------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>Monarch de Caen</b> .....<br>A magnificent strain of Poppy Anemone with immense flowers. Brilliant and varied colors from pink to beautiful shades of blue and brilliant scarlet. | 100:     | \$ 5.50            | \$ 4.50                         | \$ 3.00                         | \$ 1.50                         | \$ 1.00                         |
|  | 1000:    | 50.00              | 40.00                           | 25.00                           | 10.00                           | 6.00                            |
| <b>St. Brigid "Creagh Castle"</b> .....<br>Large double and semi-double flowers. Brilliant hues and delicate shades of Scarlet, Rose, Pink, Lavender and Blue.                       |          |                    |                                 |                                 |                                 |                                 |
| <b>His Excellency</b> .....<br>Vivid scarlet with silver-white base and black central boss. Poppy type Anemone.  | 100:     | 5.50               | 4.50                            | 3.50                            | 1.75                            | 1.25                            |
| <b>The Bride</b> .....<br>Large single pure white. Stamens and central boss white with green cast.   | 1000:    | 50.00              | 40.00                           | 30.00                           | 12.50                           | 7.50                            |
| <b>Blue Poppy</b> .....<br>Beautiful blue Poppy type Anemone.  |          |                    |                                 |                                 |                                 |                                 |
| <b>Rosea</b> .....<br>Large fuchsia-rose Poppy type Anemone.   |          |                    |                                 |                                 |                                 |                                 |

## ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM GRANDIFLORUM

September Delivery. Umbel of twenty to thirty dainty white flowers on tall stiff stem. Fine for forcing.  
\$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000

## ALSTROMERIA

**Aurantiaca** (Peruvian Lily). December to April Delivery. Large Root Divisions, Large Orange flowers, lower petals penciled brown .....\$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000  
**Chilensis Hybrids** (Chilean Lily). November delivery. Large Divisions. A mixture of beautiful colors from shades of Cream, through Pinks, Salmons, Orange and even Red.....\$11.50 per 100; \$110.00 per 1000

## AMARYLLIS

**Giant "Califlora" Hybrids.** January Delivery. Blooms during April and May. Gorgeous giant flowers. Brilliant colors. Most wonderful strain we have ever seen.

|         |         |                    |                     |                     |                                    |
|---------|---------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| Dia.    | 4" up   | $3\frac{1}{2}$ -4" | 3- $3\frac{1}{2}$ " | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ -3" | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2 $\frac{3}{4}$ " |
| Per 100 | \$70.00 | \$60.00            | \$50.00             | \$40.00             | \$35.00                            |

**Belladonna Major.** September to December. Bright rose-pink, sweet-scented flowers, 6 to 8 in an umbel.  
 3" up, \$20.50 per 100; \$200.00 per 1000      2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -3", \$15.50; \$150.00      2-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", \$10.50; \$100.00

## AGAPANTHUS UMBELLATUS

**Blue Lily of the Nile.** February Delivery. Large umbel of deep blue flowers on tall stiff stems. Dark green sword shaped leaves. Evergreen. Large root divisions.....\$25.00 per 100; \$225.00 per 1000

Wherever possible please order in our standard packing quantities of 50, 100, 250, 500 or 1000  
All bulbs 250 at the 1000 rate.

## BABIANA

Delivery in August. Blooms in Spring. Flowering habit similar to Sparaxis.

**Azure Blue.** Beautiful blue variety.

**Pure White.**

All Varieties ½" up: \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000

## BABY GLADIOLUS

September Delivery. Blooms during April and May.

|   | Tops, 1" up                      |         | No. 1, ¾-1" |         |
|---|----------------------------------|---------|-------------|---------|
|   | 100                              | 1000    | 100         | 1000    |
| <b>Tecolote Special Mixed.</b> Well blended mixture of all colors.....        |                                  |         |             |         |
| <b>Amanda Mahy.</b> Bright Salmon-rose .....                                  |                                  |         |             |         |
| <b>Firetail.</b> Best Salmon shade .....                                      |                                  |         |             |         |
| <b>Peach Blossom.</b> Finest Pink Variety .....                               | \$ 5.00                          | \$45.00 | \$ 4.50     | \$40.00 |
| <b>Spitfire.</b> Brilliant Scarlet .....                                      |                                  |         |             |         |
| <b>Tristis Conocolor.</b> Chartreuse Yellow. Fragrant .....No. 1 (¾" up)..... | \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000 |         |             |         |

## "Califlora" BEGONIAS—TUBEROUS ROOTED

California grown bulbs. Delivery January to April, Inclusive.

Our Superior strain of Tuberous Rooted Begonias is, without question, the finest to be had. It is the result of many years of experimentation and selection. Strong growing tubers producing huge, magnificent flowers of perfect form carried erect on strong stems.

### Types and Colors:

**Giant Camellia Double.** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Apricot, Flame Orange, Blush, Crimson-rose, American Beauty, Cardinal Red, Dark Salmon, Light Salmon, and Mixed colors.

**Giant Fimbriata** (Carnation Flowered). Same color selections as Camellia.

**Giant Frilled.** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Salmon, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Apricot, Fascination (light pink to white with frilled border shading from rose to light red), and Mixed colors.

**Lloydii** (Hanging-basket type). White, Pink, Rose, Salmon, Yellow, Orange, Scarlet, and Mixed colors.

**Double Picotee.** (This variety has darker edge of same color.) Salmon, Rose, Apricot, Red, and Mixed colors.

| Prices—All varieties and colors: |  | 100     | 1000     |
|----------------------------------|--|---------|----------|
| 1-1¼" Diameter.....              |  | \$ 6.00 | \$ 55.00 |
| 1¼-1½" Diameter.....             |  | 8.50    | 80.00    |
| 1½-2" Diameter.....              |  | 14.00   | 135.00   |
| 2-2½" Diameter.....              |  | 17.50   | 170.00   |

Orders for less than 25 of a color take 100 rate plus 10%.

**Multiflora Type Tuberous Rooted Begonias from Belgium.** Excellent pot plants. Bushy, with many flowers. Available in an excellent strain. Separate colors of Yellow, Orange, Salmon, and Scarlet. Also Mixed colors.

Size 1—2" Diameter.....\$15.00 per 100; \$147.50 per 1000

## BLETILLA HYACINTHINA

October Delivery

**Terrestrial Orchid.** Three to five dainty orchid-shaped lavender flowers on stems 10 to 15 inches tall. Bright green planted leaves 1 to 2 inches wide. Blooms in Spring. Hardy .....\$35.00 per 100

## CANNAS

January to April Delivery

Strong, heavy roots: \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000

**Ambassador.** Dark red. Green foliage. Low growing.

**City of Portland.** Large beautiful Clear Pink. Green foliage. Medium height.

**Hungaria.** Pink. Green foliage. Low growing.

**Red King Humbert.** Bright red. Bronze foliage. Tall growing.

**Richard Wallace.** Yellow. Green foliage. Low growing.

**The President.** Bright red. Green foliage. Low growing.

**Wyoming.** Orange-red. Bronze foliage. Low growing.

**Yellow King Humbert.** Yellow flowers with red spots. Green foliage. Tall.

## “Califlora” CALADIUM—Fancy Leaf

January to June Delivery. After long experience in growing these in the greenhouse we have selected ten of the most attractive varieties, of contrasting colors and characteristics. In addition to these we can supply any other popular variety. If planted in January will produce salable plants for Easter.

**Candidum.** Snow-white with green veins and network. Narrow green border. Fine Easter variety.

**Stoplight.** Center of leaf shining crimson with slight bluish tint. Narrow green border. Strong grower.

**Itacapus.** Entire leaf dark red of a rust shade; narrow border with red dottings. One of the most beautiful Caladiums.

**John Peed.** Bold plant with many leaves. Center transparent cherry-red, light green margin.

**Lord Derby.** Delicate transparent rose with dark green ribs and narrow green edge. Abundant foliage.

**Macahyba.** Dark moss green profusely spotted and mottled with transparent lilac blotches. Heavy scarlet ribs.

**Thomas Tomlinson.** Bright crimson center and blotches; narrow green edge. Makes many leaves.

**Mrs. W. B. Haldeman.** Glowing bright pink with narrow green edge. Varies to a deep pink according to soil used.

**Poecile Anglais.** Dwarf, many leaved type with wavy leaves of deep crimson having a bluish overcast and bordered metallic green. One of the best.

**Mrs. Sander.** Roundish dark green leaf, heavily blotched. Transparent deep rose.

|         |                      | F.O.B. Los Angeles |          | F.O.B. Florida |          |
|---------|----------------------|--------------------|----------|----------------|----------|
|         |                      | 100                | 1000     | 100            | 1000     |
| No. 1   | 1½-2½" Diameter..... | \$20.00            | \$180.00 | \$15.00        | \$140.00 |
| Jumbo   | 2½-3½" Diameter..... | 36.00              | 340.00   | 30.00          | 275.00   |
| Mammoth | 3½-5" Diameter.....  | 52.00              | 500.00   | 45.00          | 425.00   |

Orders for less than 25 of a variety take the hundred rate plus 10%.

## CROCUS

**Holland grown.** September delivery. Large top size bulbs. 9-10 ctm cir.

|        |       | 100    | 1000    |         |       | 100    | 1000    |
|--------|-------|--------|---------|---------|-------|--------|---------|
| Blue   | ..... | \$3.25 | \$27.00 | Yellow  | ..... | \$5.00 | \$46.00 |
| White  | ..... | 4.00   | 35.00   | Striped | ..... | 3.75   | 32.00   |
| Purple | ..... | 3.25   | 27.00   | Mixed   | ..... | 3.50   | 32.00   |

## CALLA LILIES

**White Calla (Aethiopica).** August and September delivery. Large pure white flower on long stem. Absolutely clean, healthy, well cured bulbs.

|        |               | 100     | 1000     |
|--------|---------------|---------|----------|
| 1¼-1½" | Diameter..... | \$ 8.00 | \$ 75.00 |
| 1½-1¾" | Diameter..... | 14.00   | 135.00   |
| 1¾-2"  | Diameter..... | 20.00   | 195.00   |
| 2" up  | Diameter..... | 26.00   | 250.00   |

**Yellow Calla (Elliottiana).** November to March delivery. Beautiful Golden-yellow. Bright green leaves with perforations that have the appearance of spots. Fine for pot culture.

|       |               | 100     | 1000     |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|
| 1¾-2" | Diameter..... | \$12.00 | \$110.00 |
| 2-2½" | Diameter..... | 14.50   | 135.00   |
| 2½-3" | Diameter..... | 29.50   | 285.00   |

**Pink Calla (Rehamanni Superba).** October to February delivery. Very unusual dwarf Calla. Flowers are Rose-pink, changing to Cerise.

|        |               | 100     | 1000     |
|--------|---------------|---------|----------|
| 1½-2"  | Diameter..... | \$13.50 | \$125.00 |
| 2-2½"  | Diameter..... | 19.50   | 185.00   |
| 2½" up | Diameter..... | 27.00   | 260.00   |

**Black Calla.** August to October delivery. Our stock is Arum Pictum, producing an attractive odorless Calla-shaped flower. (Do not confuse this with Arum Sanctum, a homely flower with offensive odor.)

|        |               | 100     | 1000     |
|--------|---------------|---------|----------|
| 1¾-2"  | Diameter..... | \$25.00 | \$245.00 |
| 2-2½"  | Diameter..... | 30.00   | 295.00   |
| 2½" up | Diameter..... | 35.00   | 345.00   |

Wherever possible please order in our standard packing quantities of 50, 100, 250, 500 or 1000  
All bulbs 250 at the 1000 rate.

## CALLA LILIES (Continued)

**Baby Calla (Miniature White Calla).** September delivery. For Greenhouse or Nursery use. Not recommended for seed store trade.

|             | 100     | 1000     |
|-------------|---------|----------|
| No. 1 ..... | \$10.00 | \$ 95.00 |
| Tops .....  | 15.00   | 145.00   |

## DAHLIA TUBERS

Available February to April. High quality Tubers. True to name, clean, and all having live eyes. Complete list in November, 1953.

## DAISIES

January to March Delivery

Bloom profusely all Spring, Summer, and until late Fall if flowers are kept cut. Fine florists cut flower and to plant in pots or gallon cans for nursery use. Large rooted divisions.

|   | 100     | 1000     |
|---|---------|----------|
| <b>Esther Read.</b> Fine large Pure White, completely double .....                            | \$ 7.50 | \$ 70.00 |
| <b>Grand Marconi.</b> Pure White double Chrysanthemum-like flowers on 2½-foot stems. Tall.... | 7.50    | 70.00    |
| <b>Majestic.</b> Duplex type, very popular .....  | 10.50   | 100.00   |
| <b>Chiffon.</b> Very frilled. Duplex type .....   | 10.50   | 100.00   |

## GERBERA (Transvaal Daisy)—“Califlora” Hybrids

January to May delivery. Superior strain of Giant Single and Duplex types. Wide open flowers in a well blended mixture of brilliant colors, predominating Salmon, Orange, Red and Pink shades.

|   | 100     | 1000     |
|---|---------|----------|
| <b>Large two to four eye root divisions</b> ..... | \$18.50 | \$175.00 |
| <b>Nice one to two eye root divisions</b> .....   | 11.00   | 100.00   |

## GLADIOLUS

November to April delivery. We offer only carefully selected varieties chosen for color, growing qualities, size and arrangements of flowers on the spike, as well as keeping qualities and number of blossoms open at once. Bulbs are carefully cured, high crown, No. 1 size. Complete list of varieties and prices in Spring catalogue. Published in October, 1953.

## GLOXINIAS

January to April delivery. Following varieties, or mixed.

**Blanche de Meru.** Rose. White throat.  
**Emperor Frederick.** Scarlet. White border.  
**Emperor William.** Violet. White border.  
**Etoile de Feu.** Scarlet, plane.  
**Mount Blanc.** Pure White.  
**Prince Albert.** Dark Violet with frilled edge.

**Princess Elizabeth.** Blue with White throat.  
**Roi Des Rouges.** Dark Crimson with frilled edge.  
**Tigrina (Spotted and Netted).** Shades from light Rose to dark Lavender.  
**Violacea.** Soft Violet, plane.

|                          | 100     | 1000     |
|--------------------------|---------|----------|
| <b>California Grown.</b> |         |          |
| 1-1¼" Diameter.....      | \$10.50 | \$100.00 |
| 1¼-1½" Diameter.....     | 15.00   | 145.00   |
| 1½-2" Diameter.....      | 20.00   | 195.00   |
| 2" up Diameter.....      | 29.00   | 285.00   |

**Belgian grown.**  
 Delivery about December 15th. Size 1½-2" diameter. Price not yet established. Usually about \$16.00 per 100; \$150.00 per 1000.

## HYACINTHS

**Holland Grown.** Highest quality. September delivery. Following are the most popular varieties:

|  | Size            | 100     | 1000     |
|--|-----------------|---------|----------|
| <b>Bismarck.</b> Bright Blue. Early forcer .....       |                 |         |          |
| <b>City of Haarlem.</b> Yellow Early .....             |                 |         |          |
| <b>Grand Maitre.</b> Deep Glossy Blue. Late .....      |                 |         |          |
| <b>Jan Bos.</b> Carmine Red. Very early .....          | 17/18 Ctm. Cir. | \$11.00 | \$105.00 |
| <b>Lady Derby.</b> Soft clear Pink. Medium early ..... |                 |         |          |
| <b>L'Innocence.</b> Pure White. Early forcer .....     | 19-Up           | 14.50   | 140.00   |
| <b>Pink Pearl.</b> Rosy Pink. Early forcer .....       |                 |         |          |

All other varieties and sizes of Hyacinths grown in Holland available if orders are placed by July 15, 1953.

## HYACINTHS—Roman (From France)

**White, Pink and Blue.** Sept. delivery. 1¼" up dia. ....\$10.50 per 100; \$100.00 per 1000

Wherever possible please order in our standard packing quantities of 50, 100, 250, 500 or 1000  
All bulbs 250 at the 1000 rate.

## FREESIA "Tecolote" HYBRIDS

Flowers of immense size, wide open and delightfully fragrant. Plants of unusual strength and vigor. Tall strong stems. Much finer than the Standard Commercial varieties.

**Tecolote "Talisman."** Pat. No. 555. Bright Orange-pink with rich

Cream throat. Early .....

**Tecolote Pure White** .....

**Tecolote Yellow** .....

**Tecolote Rose** .....

**Tecolote Bright Red** .....

**Tecolote Lavender** .....

**Tecolote Finest Blue** .....

**Tecolote Pink** .....

**Tecolote Orange** .....

**Tecolote Mixture.** Well blended .....

$\frac{7}{8}$ " up     $\frac{3}{4}$ - $\frac{7}{8}$ "     $\frac{5}{8}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ "     $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{5}{8}$ "

100: \$ 4.50    \$ 4.00    \$ 3.00    \$ 2.00

1000: 40.00    35.00    25.00    15.00

## OTHER GIANT HYBRID FREESIAS

**Mammoth White.** Giant Pure White. Blooms very early .....

**Mammoth Yellow.** Giant Golden Yellow. Blooms very early ...

**Blanche Blue.** Fine large Blue .....

**Elder's Double White.** Large double White .....

**Elder's Golden Giant.** Bright Yellow. Large wide open flowers.

Tall .....

**Elder's Giant White.** Late blooming .....

**Elder's Red.** Large Red .....

**Flo.** Large flowering Deep Blue .....

**Judy Double Yellow.** Large Double Yellow. Very early .....

**Oriole.** Fine deep Golden Yellow. Early .....

**Sunset.** Golden Orange-yellow .....

$\frac{7}{8}$ " up     $\frac{3}{4}$ - $\frac{7}{8}$ "     $\frac{5}{8}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ "     $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{5}{8}$ "

100: \$ 4.50    \$ 4.00    \$ 3.00    \$ 2.00

1000: 40.00    35.00    25.00    15.00

$\frac{3}{4}$ - $\frac{7}{8}$ "     $\frac{5}{8}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ "     $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{5}{8}$ "

100: \$ 4.00    \$ 2.75    \$ 2.00

**Rainbow Mixture Freesias.** A mixture of all colors ..... 1000: 35.00    22.50    14.00

NOTE: Bulbs  $\frac{7}{8}$ " or larger are very limited. When placing orders for this size we should be instructed to substitute  $\frac{3}{4}$ - $\frac{7}{8}$ " when necessary.

Best forcing results from Freesias are obtained if shipments are not made from California until August 15th, or later.

## IRIS (Bulbous)

**DUTCH:** Washington Grown. September to November delivery.

|  | Ctm. Cir. |         | 8-9    |         | 7-8    |         | 6-7  |      |
|--|-----------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|------|------|
|  | 100       | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100  | 1000 |
| <b>Belle Jaune.</b> Large Deep Yellow. New .....               | \$6.00    | \$55.00 | \$5.00 | \$45.00 | \$3.75 | \$32.50 |      |      |
| <b>Le Mogol.</b> New tall Bronze, shaded Blue .....            |           |         | 5.25   | 47.50   | 4.25   | 37.50   |      |      |
| <b>Lemon Queen.</b> Lemon Yellow with Sulphur Falls. New ..... | 6.00      | 55.00   | 5.00   | 45.00   | 4.00   | 35.00   |      |      |
| <b>Imperator.</b> Popular Blue .....                           | 3.50      | 30.00   | 3.00   | 25.00   | 2.00   | 15.00   |      |      |
| <b>White Excelsior.</b> Popular White .....                    | 5.50      | 50.00   | 4.50   | 38.00   | 3.00   | 23.00   |      |      |
| <b>Golden Harvest.</b> Popular Yellow .....                    | 5.50      | 50.00   | 4.50   | 38.00   | 3.00   | 23.00   |      |      |
| <b>Mixed.</b> Splendid mixture, best varieties .....           | 3.50      | 30.00   | 3.00   | 25.00   | 2.00   | 15.00   |      |      |
|  | Ctm. Cir. |         | 10-11  |         | 9-10   |         | 8½-9 |      |
|  | 100       | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100  | 1000 |
| <b>Wedgewood.</b> Earliest Blue. Popular .....                 | \$5.00    | \$45.00 | \$3.50 | \$30.00 | \$2.50 | \$18.00 |      |      |
| <b>Blue Ribbon.</b> New large Intense Violet Blue .....        | 4.50      | 40.00   | 3.75   | 32.00   |        |         |      |      |



**ISMENE (Peruvian Daffodil)**

var.: CALATHINA

September to November delivery .....\$16.00 per 100; \$150.00 per 1000

**IXIAS**

September Delivery

**Mixture.** Best varieties carefully blended .....\$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000**LACHENALIA**

August to November delivery. Lachenalias are especially fine for florists, as they can be grown in flats or pots for Valentine's Day plants. Bulbs are planted from September to November and bloom in three months. Culture same as Freesias.

**L. Aurea.** Beautiful Golden Yellow pendulous flowers, about 25 to a stem. Bright and attractive pot plant.

We consider this the best of all Lachenalias. Blooms in February.

|                    |        |         |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
|                    | 100    | 1000    |
| <b>No. 1</b> ..... | \$4.00 | \$35.00 |
| <b>Tops</b> .....  | 5.00   | 45.00   |
| <b>Jumbo</b> ..... | 7.00   | 65.00   |

**LEUCOCORYNE IXIODES ODORATA**

(GLORY OF THE SUN)

August to November Delivery

|                           |         |          |
|---------------------------|---------|----------|
| Fine blooming size bulbs. | 100     | 1000     |
| 1/2-5/8" Diameter.....    | \$ 5.50 | \$ 50.00 |
| 5/8-3/4" Diameter.....    | 8.00    | 75.00    |
| 3/4" up Diameter.....     | 10.50   | 100.00   |

**LEUCOJUM VERNUM (Snowflake)**

August to December Delivery

|                            |        |         |
|----------------------------|--------|---------|
|                            | 100    | 1000    |
| 1-1 1/4" Diameter.....     | \$3.50 | \$30.00 |
| 1 1/4-1 1/2" Diameter..... | 4.00   | 35.00   |
| 1 1/2" up Diameter.....    | 5.00   | 45.00   |

**LILIES (Domestic)**

October Delivery

|  |            |         |          |
|--|------------|---------|----------|
|  |            | 100     | 1000     |
| <b>Regale</b> , 250 to Case.....                   | 7-8" Cir.  | \$14.50 | \$135.00 |
| <b>Regale</b> , 200 to Case.....                   | 8-9" Cir.  | 19.00   | 180.00   |
| <b>Regale</b> , 100 to Case.....                   | 9" up Cir. | 27.00   | 260.00   |
| <b>Candidum (Madonna)</b> . (August Delivery)..... | 8-9" Cir.  | 18.00   | 175.00   |
| <b>Giganteum (Croft)</b> , 250 to Case.....        | 7-8" Cir.  | 20.00   | 190.00   |

We can supply the Finest Croft Lilies in all sizes at competitive prices F.O.B. Oregon or F.O.B. Los Angeles.

|  |           |       |        |
|--|-----------|-------|--------|
| <b>Bellingham Hybrids</b> .....  | 6-7" Cir. | 22.00 | 210.00 |
| Tall Hybrids of Best West Coast Native Lilies.<br>Many Flowers. Clear Yellow through Bright Orange-red.                        |           |       |        |
| <b>Mid-Century Hybrids</b> .....   | 5-6" Cir. | 27.00 | 260.00 |
| Brilliant colored Hybrids of the Short Candlestick Lily. Stems 2 to 3 feet tall. Colors Yellow through Salmons and Orange-red. |           |       |        |
| <b>Olympic Hybrids</b> .....   | 8-9" Cir. | 22.00 | 210.00 |
| Finest Regale Hybrids. Tall Stems. Large Trumpet flowers of Ivory-white with Rose Russet Ribs.                                 |           |       |        |

Following Lilies grown in Japan. 8-9" and 9-10" Cir. Size. Prices open.

**Auratum.** (Gold Banded Lily of Japan). White. Gold rayed. Crimson spots.

**Henryii.** Tall Deep Apricot. Brown spots.

**Rubrum.** (Speciosum Rubrum). Carmine Pink on White ground. Carmine spots.

**Tigrinum.** (Tiger Lily). Orange-red spotted Purple. Much reflexed.

Wherever possible please order in our standard packing quantities of 50, 100, 250, 500 or 1000  
All bulbs 250 at the 1000 rate.

## LYCORIS RADIATA (Coral Spider Lily)

(Similar to Nerine Sarniensis)

August to November Delivery

We have always offered this as Nerine Sarniensis. However, our stock is in reality Lycoris Radiata. It is a beautiful and profitable bulb item and we will supply the same fine stock we have in the past.

|                            | 100     | 1000     |
|----------------------------|---------|----------|
| 1 1/4-1 1/2" Diameter..... | \$ 8.00 | \$ 75.00 |
| 1 1/2-2" Diameter.....     | 10.50   | 100.00   |

## MUSCARI (Grape Hyacinth)

Heavenly Blue or Conicum. Finest Deep Blue. October delivery.

|                            | 100    | 1000    |
|----------------------------|--------|---------|
| No. 1, 7-8 Ctm. Cir. ....  | \$2.00 | \$15.00 |
| Tops, 8-9 Ctm. Cir. ....   | 2.50   | 20.00   |
| Jumbo, 9-11 Ctm. Cir. .... | 3.00   | 25.00   |

## NARCISSUS—DAFFODILS

Northwest grown. September to December delivery.

| King Alfred. Finest of the Yellow Trumpets. | DN No. 1 |         | DN No. 2 |         | DN No. 3 |         |
|---|----------|---------|----------|---------|----------|---------|
|   | 100      | 1000    | 100      | 1000    | 100      | 1000    |
| F.O.B. Los Angeles.....                     | \$10.00  | \$95.00 | \$7.00   | \$65.00 | \$5.00   | \$45.00 |
| F.O.B. Oregon. Case lots, 500 or more.....  |          | 78.00   |          | 55.00   |          | 35.00   |

  

|  | DN No. 1 |          | DN No. 2 |        |
|--|----------|----------|----------|--------|
|  | 100      | 1000     | 100      | 1000   |
| Beersheba. Magnificent large Pure White. Vigorous grower.....                                      | \$23.50  | \$230.00 | .....    | .....  |
| Cheerfulness. Cluster of double White flowers on each stem.....                                    | 7.00     | 65.00    | 5.50     | 50.00  |
| Diana Kasner. Barri. Pure White petals. Large fluted Yellow cup with Blood-red frill.....          | 7.50     | 70.00    | 6.00     | 55.00  |
| Fortune. Incomparabilis. Deep Yellow perianth. Semi-long Golden-orange trumpet.....                | 12.50    | 120.00   | 10.50    | 100.00 |
| Francisca Drake. Incomparabilis. Large flower. Pure White petals. Large flat Flame Orange cup..... | 8.50     | 80.00    | 6.50     | 60.00  |
| Geranium. Poetaz. Large flower. White petals. Orange-red cup.....                                  | 8.50     | 80.00    | 6.50     | 60.00  |
| Golden Harvest. Fine Yellow Trumpet. Larger and earlier than King Alfred.....                      | 12.50    | 120.00   | 10.00    | 95.00  |
| Mrs. Backhouse. Trumpet Apricot-pink, petals White.....  | 17.50    | 170.00   | 13.50    | 130.00 |
| Mrs. E. H. Krelage. White trumpet. Cream perianth.....   | 12.50    | 120.00   | 10.00    | 95.00  |
| Poeticus Ornatus Actaea. Large White petals. Small. Orange-red cup.....                            | 9.50     | 90.00    | 7.00     | 65.00  |
| Royal Sovereign. Primrose-yellow and White Double Daffodil. Large flowers. Graceful.....           | 12.00    | 115.00   | 10.00    | 95.00  |
| Spring Glory. Yellow trumpet. White petals.....  | 11.50    | 110.00   | 8.50     | 80.00  |
| Thalia. Cluster of 2 or 3 Pure White flowers on each stem.....                                     | 10.50    | 100.00   | 8.00     | 75.00  |
| Twink. Double. Petals soft Primrose. Clear Orange center.....                                      | 10.50    | 100.00   | 9.00     | 85.00  |
| Daffodil Mixture. Contains grand assortment of finer Large Trumpets, Barri, Poeticus, etc.....     | 7.50     | 65.00    | 5.50     | 50.00  |

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**NARCISSUS—POLYANTHUS**

Fine for Water Culture. September to December delivery.

| <b>Paper White Grandiflora.</b> Cent. Circum. | 16 up   |         | 15-16  |         | 14-15  |         | 13-14  |         |
|---|---------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| Imported French Bulbs.                        | 100     | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100    | 1000    |
| White petals and cup.....                     | \$ 8.00 | \$75.00 | \$7.00 | \$65.00 | \$6.00 | \$55.00 | \$5.00 | \$45.00 |

**Chinese Sacred Lily.**

|                                     | 20 up   |         | Centimeters Circum. |         | 18-20  |         | 16-18  |         | 14-16 |      |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------------------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|-------|------|
| <b>Soleil d'Or</b> (True Guernsey). | 100     | 1000    | 100                 | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100   | 1000 |
| Yellow petals and cup.....          | \$10.00 | \$95.00 | \$8.00              | \$75.00 | \$6.50 | \$60.00 | \$5.50 | \$50.00 |       |      |

**ORNITHOGALUM**

August to December Delivery

|  | Tops<br>2 1/4" up Dia. |         | No. 1<br>2-2 1/4" Dia. |         | No. 2<br>1 3/4-2" Dia. |         |
|--|------------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|
| <b>Arabicum</b> (Star of Bethlehem). White with glossy | 100                    | 1000    | 100                    | 1000    | 100                    | 1000    |
| Black eye. Fine Easter flower.....                     | \$6.00                 | \$55.00 | \$5.00                 | \$45.00 | \$4.25                 | \$37.50 |

**OXALIS**

August to October Delivery

|                                       | 100    | 1000    |
|---------------------------------------|--------|---------|
| <b>Bowiei.</b> Rose-pink.....         | \$2.00 | \$15.00 |
| <b>Bermuda Buttercup.</b> Yellow..... | 2.00   | 15.00   |
| <b>Hirta.</b> Rose-pink.....          | 2.00   | 15.00   |
| <b>Grand Duchess Rose-pink.</b> ..... | 2.00   | 15.00   |
| <b>Grand Duchess Lavender.</b> .....  | 2.00   | 15.00   |
| <b>Grand Duchess White.</b> .....     | 2.00   | 15.00   |

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**ROGGLI'S GENUINE ORIGINAL PANSY SEED.** Genuine Original Strain imported from Switzerland. Do not confuse with so-called 'Roggli' strains offered. Demand the Genuine which bears the copyrighted "ROGGLI" Trade-Mark. We are exclusive distributors for the United States and Canada. ROGGLI'S is a superb strain of Pansies producing huge flowers of the popular Swiss type. Bright colors, strong erect stems. Once this strain is tried it is always used. First shipment 1953 crop to arrive about September 1st by air express for early orders.

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>ELITE Mixed.</b> | Fine mixture of bright attractive colors.                      |
| <b>ALPENGLUHN.</b>  | Beautiful Mahogany-red with darker eye.                        |
| <b>BERNA.</b>       | Dark Violet without eye. Velvet-like texture.                  |
| <b>BLUMLISALP.</b>  | Beautiful Pink-carmine. New color for Pansies.                 |
| <b>EIGER.</b>       | Gorgeous Dark Yellow with Dark Brown eye.                      |
| <b>HOHENFEUER.</b>  | Beautiful bright Orange-red.                                   |
| <b>JUNGFRAU.</b>    | Wonderful pure White Pansy.                                    |
| <b>MONCH.</b>       | Improved Clear Yellow.   |
| <b>NIESEN.</b>      | Lower petals Yellow with Brown eye. Upper petals Brownish Red. |
| <b>THUNERSEE.</b>   | Gentian Blue with dark eye. Finest Blue Pansy.                 |



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**Prices—All Colors and Mixed**

|                      |                 |                             |         |
|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|---------|
| Trial Packet .....   | \$2.00          | 1/2 oz. Packet .....        | \$10.00 |
| 1/8 oz. Packet ..... | 3.50            | 1 oz. Packet .....          | 17.50   |
| 1/4 oz. Packet ..... | 6.00            | 4 to 7 ounces, per oz. .... | 16.00   |
| 8 oz. or more .....  | \$15.00 per oz. |                             |         |

**PANCRATIUM MARITIMUM**

November Delivery

Very similar to *Ismene Calathina*. Blooms later than *Ismene* and the flowers are slightly smaller. Foliage is darker green and narrow, like *Narcissus* leaves.

**\$7.00 per 100; \$65.00 per 1000**



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November to March Delivery

Beautiful deep Red Orchid-shaped flower. Leaves Dark Green, sword-shaped.

|         |        |               | 100     | 1000     |
|---------|--------|---------------|---------|----------|
| Tops    | 1½-1¾" | Diameter..... | \$22.50 | \$220.00 |
| Jumbo   | 1¾-2¼" | Diameter..... | 25.00   | 245.00   |
| Mammoth | 2¼" up | Diameter..... | 35.00   | 345.00   |

## TIGRIDA "Califlora" HYBRIDS

February to April Delivery

Well blended mixture of all colors, and separate colors as follows: Bright Red, Wine Red, Rose, Deep Rose, White, Peach, Cream and Yellow.

|       |               | 100     | 1000     |
|-------|---------------|---------|----------|
| ¾" up | Diameter..... | \$ 4.50 | \$ 35.00 |
| 1" up | Diameter..... | 5.50    | 50.00    |

## TRITONIA CROCATA (Flame Freesia)

August to November Delivery

|  | Jumbo  |         | No. 1  |         | No. 2  |         |
|--|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
|  | 100    | 1000    | 100    | 1000    | 100    | 1000    |
| <b>Pink Princess.</b> Beautiful clear Pink.....            |        |         |        |         |        |         |
| <b>Prince of Orange.</b> Flaming Orange.....               | \$3.25 | \$27.50 | \$2.75 | \$22.50 | \$2.25 | \$17.50 |
| <b>Salmon King.</b> Soft Salmon-orange.....                |        |         |        |         |        |         |
| <b>Hybrid Mixture.</b> Salmon, Orange and Pink shades..... |        |         |        |         |        |         |

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Types: D—Darwin; B—Breeder; C—Cottage; R—Rembrandt; T—Triumph.

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|-------------------------------|------|--|--------|---------|
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| Clara Butt                    | D    | Salmon Pink.....                                 | 4.50   | 40.00   |
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| Dillenburg                    | B    | Orange, edged Bronze.....                        | 4.50   | 40.00   |
| Edith Eddy                    | T    | Large Cherry Red edged White.....                | 4.50   | 40.00   |
| Farncombe Sanders             | D    | Brilliant Scarlet.....                           | 4.50   | 40.00   |
| Golden Harvest                | C    | Finest Yellow.....                               | 4.50   | 40.00   |
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| Princess Margaret Rose        | C    | Yellow. Clear Orange-red edge.....               | 4.50   | 40.00   |
| Scotch Lassie                 | D    | Bright Vio'let .....                             | 4.50   | 40.00   |
| White City                    | C    | Best Pure White. Large. Tall.....                | 5.50   | 50.00   |
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| Darwin Mixture. Well blended. |      | <b>Top Size</b> , 12 ctm. cir. up .....          | 4.50   | 40.00   |
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|--|-------|-------|
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